

FCC FORM 481

Line 1010 – Voice Service Rate Comparability

The pricing of the company's voice service rate is no more than two standard deviations above the applicable national average urban rate for voice service, as specified in the most recent public notice, FCC DA15-470 released on April 16, 2015.

For Rates See Attachment: (700) Company Price Offerings (voice)

Form 481 Line 1210- Terms & Conditions for Lifeline Customers

China Telephone Company provides a Lifeline Program discount for residence service for eligible low income customers. The Lifeline Program discount is applied to any month to month residence local service, package or bundle offering. The discount is intended to offset the Subscriber Line Charge and local line charge, although eligible packages and bundles may have toll calling included in the pricing for the offering.

The Catalog pages outlining the terms of the Lifeline Program in the China Telephone Company are attached. The terms and conditions of residential basic local exchange service, package and bundle offerings can be found at <http://www.tariffs.net/fairpoint/tier.asp?cid=1644>.

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LIFELINE PROGRAM

- (1) The Company shall provide Lifeline service as defined in 47 C.F.R. § 54.401 (a) on a non-discriminatory basis to all qualifying low-income customers. The Company's Lifeline service offering shall comply with all applicable federal and state laws, including, but not limited to 47 C.F.R. Part 54, Subpart E; the FCC's Lifeline reform order (Report and Order released February 6, 2012, WC Docket No. 11-42, et.al) and any subsequent clarifying orders.

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P. SCREENED ONE PARTY SERVICE (Cont'd)

4. TOLL RESTRICTION SERVICE (Cont'd)

b. Rates and Charges

1. The following rates and charges are in addition to all other applicable rates and charges.

	<u>Non Recurring Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Charge</u>
Per central office line equipped	*	\$5.00

*Appropriate Section Service Charges apply.

2. Regulations regarding connection of terminal equipment as shown in Section 7 apply.
3. If a Customer has a scheduled payment arrangement which is agreed to by both the Company and the Customer to collect a past due balance, the Company may at its discretion waive the service charges and monthly rates when the service is added as a means of controlling the Customers bill.
4. For any Customer that qualifies under the Lifeline Assistance Program the Company will waive the service charge and monthly rates for Toll Restriction Service.

c. Payment Arrangement Provisions

1. When a Customer's local serving office is suitably equipped to provide screened billing the company may waive a Customer's payment of the service charges and monthly rates when the feature is added as a means of controlling a Customer's bill. If a Customer fails to complete a payment arrangement that has been renegotiated at least once the company may require screened billing as a condition to negotiations for the third or subsequent arrangement. The screened billing will remain on the line until the arrangement is completed

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RATE FLOOR DATA COLLECTION - OMB Control Number 3060-0986

ROW #	DATA ELEMENT	FORMAT OF REQUESTED DATA	RESPONSE
1	Carrier Study Area Code	6 numeric digits	100004
2	Carrier Study Area Name	alpha characters	China Telephone Co.
3	Service Provider Identification Number	9 numeric digits	143001270
4	Residential Local Service Charge Effective Date	mm/dd/yyyy	6/1/2015
5	Contact Name	alpha characters	Barbara Galardo
6	Contact Telephone Number (include area code)	9 numeric digits	2075354126
7	Sheet number	numeric digit(s)	1
8	Total Number of Sheets	numeric digit(s)	1

Figure 5. Unredacted Form for the Single Loop Rate Floor

	Column 1 Residential Local Service Charge	Column 2 State Subscriber Line Charge	Column 3 State Universal Service Fee	Column 4 Mandatory Extended Area Service Charge	Column 5 Loops
9	\$ 17.58				
10	\$ 19.08				
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Rate Floor

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING RATE FLOOR DATA ON ITS OWN BEHALF:

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Rate Floor Data

I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the actual rate floor data reported ; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form is accurate.

Name of Reporting Carrier See Attached Listing

Signature of authorized officer

M. Michael T. Skirvan

Date

June 23, 2015

Printed name of authorized officer Michael T. Skirvan

Title or position of authorized officer Vice President of Regulatory

Telephone number of authorized officer: (207) 535 - 4150

Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier

See Attached List

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